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For: METHOD

METHOD OF AND SYSTEM FOR GENERATING DATA-BASE COMPILATION AND STORAGE, ACCESSING, COMPARING AND ANALYZING OF SCANNED GENETIC SPOT PATTERN IMAGES AND

THE LIKE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Replying to the Office action of February 10, 2004, please amend the application

as follows: